

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Confirmation No. 1632

Norio KIMURA et al.

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Examiner Jeffrie R. Lund

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a two month extension of time to respond to the communication of January 12, 2007.

The fee of \$450.00 is

- submitted herewith. (X)
- () to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is
- Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion () which
 - 0 is enclosed.
 - has been previously submitted. 0

Respectfully submitted,

Norio KIMURA et al

THE COMMISIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT **ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975**

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